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### EPIDEMIOLOGICAL NOTES AND REPORTS CUTANEOUS ANTHRAX - Massachusetts

The recent case of anthrax reported from Massachusetts occurred in an employee at a mill that prepares yarn from goat and camel hair imported from Asia. The patient, a 20-year-old male, has worked in the fiber analysis laboratory for 21/2 years. On April 14, he developed a small "pimple" on his right temple. During the next several days he noted an increase in the size of the pimple and recalled that it was pruritic. He did not see a physician until April 18, by which time the pimple was 21/2 to 3 cm. in size and showed the typical appearance of a cutaneous anthrax lesion; swelling of the lymph nodes in the right side of the neck were noted. A smear from the lesion was

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reported to show Bacillus anthracis organisms and, subsequently, a culture confirmed the diagnosis. The patient was treated with tetracycline 500 mg. every 6 hours and made a rapid and complete recovery.

Since 1953, 13 cases of cutaneous anthrax have been reported among employees of this company whose average employment is 100 people. The company concerned (Continued on page 208)

### CASES OF SPECIFIED NOTIFIABLE DISEASES: UNITED STATES (Cumulative totals include revised and delayed reports through previous weeks)

	24th WEE	CENDED	CT 04 WEDDING				
	Ditti HEE	CENDED	MEDIAN	CUMULATIVE, FIRST 24 WEEKS			
DISEASE	JUNE 18	JUNE 19,	1961 - 1965			MEDIAN	
	1966	1965	1501 1505	1966	1965	1961 1965	
Aseptic meningitis	41	39	37	674	674	642	
Brucellosis	1	6	8	90	106	178	
Diphtheria.	2	1	6	72	79	134	
Encephalitis, primary:		-				101	
Arthropod-borne & unspecified	27	24		585	710		
Encephalitis, post-infectious	14	16		411	386		
Hepatitis, serum	33	)	)	597			
Hepatitis, infectious	594	548	{ 660	15,905	17,156	22,343	
Measles (rubeola)	4,472	6.268	12,377	172,613	220,468	340,473	
Poliomyelitis, Total (including unspecified)	_	1	6	8	18	68	
Paralytic	_	1	4	7	16	59	
Nonparalytic	-	_		_	2		
Meningococcal infections, Total	61	46	46	2,231	1,868	1.363	
Civilian	56	46		1,979	1,706		
Military	5	_		252	162		
Rubella (German measles)	1,350			36,999			
Streptococcal sore throat & Scarlet fever	6,777	6,142	4,856	252,654	234,840	206,241	
Tetanus.	7	8		65	101		
Tularemia	4	11		64	109		
Typhoid fever	6	14	9	133	171	171	
Typhus, tick-borne (Rky. Mt. Spotted fever).	14	15		56	49		
Rabies in Animals	93	68	68	2.082	2,321	1,997	

### NOTIFIABLE DISEASES OF LOW FREQUENCY

	Cum.		Cum.	]
Anthrax:	3	Botulism:	3	1
Leptospirosis: La2, Hawaii-2 Malaria: N.Y. City-1, Mich1, Mo1	131	Rabies in Man:	1	
Psittacosis: Tex1	20	Rubella, Congenital Syndrome: Minn1.	18	
Typhus, murine: Hawaii-1, Tex2	11			

## INTERNATIONAL NOTES VARIOLA MINOR - Britain

A total of 44 cases of variola minor in the County of Staffordshire, England, has been reported to the World Health Organization as of June 6, 1966 (see also MMWR, Vol. 15, Nos. 17, 18 and 21). Nineteen cases have occurred in the Stoke-on-Trent County Borough, 13 in the Walsall County Borough, 7 in the Cheadle Rural District, 2 each in the Warley County Borough and the Stone Rural District, and one in the city of Birmingham (Figure 1). Laboratory confirmation has been available on 26 of these cases. No fatalities have been reported.

The earliest known case occurred in the city of Birmingham on February 18, and five subsequent generations of cases appeared through June 2 (Figure 2). During the months of March and April the major foci for second and third generation cases seemed to cluster in both the Walsall County Borough and the Stone Rural District (Figure 3). Throughout May, Stoke-on-Trent was the major focus for fifth generation cases. Sixth generation cases in (Continued on page 208)

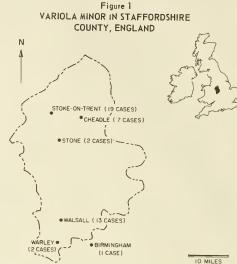


Figure 3
CASES OF VARIOLA MINOR BY WEEK OF ONSET
FEBRUARY 19-JUNE 4, 1966

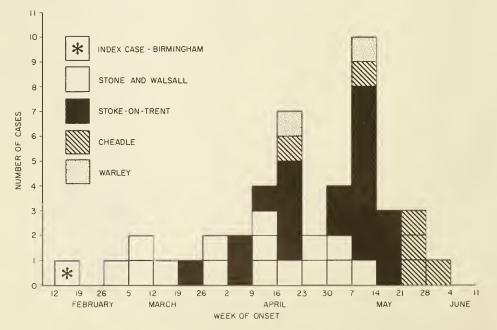
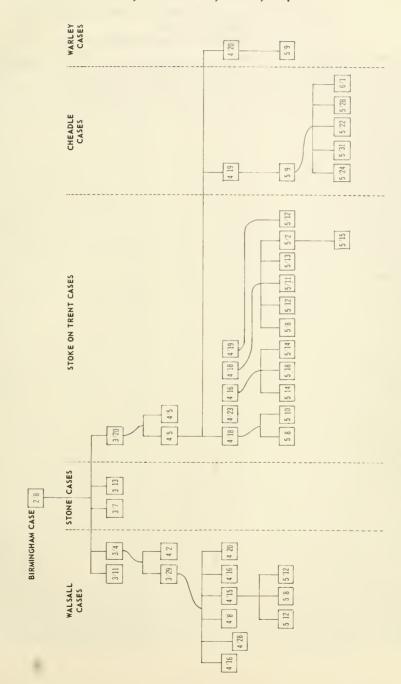


Figure 2
EPIDEMIOLOGIC PATTERN OF CASES OF VARIOLA MINOR
BY DATE OF ONSET



### Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report

# cases of specified notifiable diseases: united states $\mbox{for weeks ended}$

JUNE 18, 1966 AND JUNE 19, 1965 (24th WEEK)

					ENCEPHAL	ITIS			HEPATITIS			
AREA	ASEI MENIN	TIC GITIS	BRUCELLOSIS	Prim inclu unsp.	ding	Post- Infectious	DIPH	THERIA	Serum	Infectious	Both Types	
	1966	1965	1966	1966	1965	1966	1966	1965	1966	1966	1965	
UNITED STATES	41	39	1	27	24	14	2	1	33	594	548	
THE THOUGHT	,	_		,						1,5	20	
EW ENGLAND	1 -	3	_	3		-		-	_	15 3	28	
Maine	_	_	-	_	-	-	_	_		1		
New Hampshire Vermont	-	_		_			_	_		1	5	
Massachusetts		2		2	_				_	6	15	
Rhode Island	1	1	_	1	_	-			_	3	2	
Connecticut	_		_	_	-	_	_	_	_	2	4	
IDDLE ATLANTIC	5	7	-	4	6	4	-	-	15	76	105	
New York City	2	2	-	1	2	-	-	-	12	22	23	
New York, Up-State.	-	2	-	-	-	2	-	-	1	26	29	
New Jersey	2	2	-	1	4	-	-	-	2	12	30	
Pennsylvania	1	1	-	2	-	2	-	-	-	16	23	
AST NORTH CENTRAL	8	1	-	7	3	3	1	-	1	108	100	
Ohio	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	1	17	23	
Indiana	3	-	-	-	-	-		-	-	11	13	
Illinois	1	1	-	2	1	1	1	-	-	38	7	
Michigan	4	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	39	49	
Wisconsin	- )	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	8	
mom wonth or with		2	,	,						2.7	22	
EST NORTH CENTRAL	-	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	37	23	
Minnesota	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	11	
Iowa	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	4	
Missouri	- 1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21	6	
North Dakota	-	-			-	1 1	-	-	-	- 1	_	
South Dakota	-	-	1	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	
Nebraska	-	1	-		-	-	-	-	-		-	
Kansas	-	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	1	2	
OUTURE A TOTAL A TOTAL O	2	,		,	9		_		1	72	69	
OUTH ATLANTIC	3	1	-	1	1	-		-		73	69	
Delaware	-	-	-				-	_	-	21		
Maryland	2		-	1	1	1 [		1 1		1	8	
Dist. of Columbia	-		-	-	- 5	-	-	-	-	12	16	
Virginia	-	-	-	-	.5	- 1	-	-	-	4	12	
West Virginia	-		-	-	-						9	
North Carolina		1	-	1	1		-		_	6 2	5	
South Carolina	-	-	_	-	-		_	_	_	15	, ,	
Georgia	-	-	-		-		-	-	-		19	
Florida	1	-	-	_	1	_	-	-	1	12	19	
AST SOUTH CENTRAL	6			2		_ :	1	1		48	28	
Kentucky	3	_	_	-		_	ı .	_	-	18	11	
Tennessee	-					_				14	6	
Alabama	_	_					1	1	-	3	9	
Mississippi	3			2						13	2	
MISSISSIPPI	-			-						1	_	
EST SOUTH CENTRAL	8	7	-	1	1	2	-	-	4	42	49	
Arkansas	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	3	4	
Louisiana	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	11	6	
Oklahoma		-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	2	3	
Texas	7	6	-	-	-	2	-	-	3	26	36	
OUNTAIN	1	1	-	3	2	-	-	-	-	37	25	
Montana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	
Idaho	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14	-	
Wyoming	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	
Colorado	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	2	7	
New Mexico	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	3	
Arizona	1	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	8	2	
Utah		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	10	
Nevada	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
ACIFIC	9	17	-	5	3	5	-	-	12	158	121	
Washington	-	2	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	11	4	
Oregon	1	-	-	-	-	-		-	-	16	11	
California	8	15	-	5	3	3	-	-	11	121	97	
Alaska	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	2	
Harra I I		-	-		-	-	-	-	1	4	7	
Hawaii												

# CASES OF SPECIFIED NOTIFIABLE DISEASES: UNITED STATES FOR WEEKS ENDED

JUNE 18, 1966 AND JUNE 19, 1965 (24th WEEK) - CONTINUED

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inni	MEASLES (Rubeola)			TOTAL			Tot	RUBELLA			
AREA		Cumu 1	ative		Cumu 1	ative				Cumulative	
	1966	1966	1965	1966	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966	1966	1966
UNITED STATES	4,472	172,613	220,468	61	2,231	1,868	-	1	-	7	1,350
NEW ENGLAND	57	2,051	35,644	2	103	94	_	-	_	_	166
Maine	1	189	2,668	-	8	10	-	-	-	-	7
New Hampshire	5	50	373	-	8	5	-	-	-	-	1
Vermont	-	217	1,061	-	3	2	-	-	-	-	-
Massachusetts Rhode Island	13	716 72	18,864 3,801	1	41	32 14	-	-	-	-	90
Connecticut	37	807	8,877	1	31	31	_	-	_	-	1 67
MIDDLE ATLANTIC	204	17,133	12,374	16	256	249	_	_	_	_	39
New York City	65	8,045	1,594	-	36	43	-	-	-	-	19
New York, Up-State.	55	2,056	3,453	6	74	64	-	-	-	-	19
New Jersey	18	1,826	2,041	5	71	70	-	-	-	-	-
Pennsylvania	66	5,206	5,286	5	75	72	-	-	-	-	1
EAST NORTH CENTRAL	1,582	6,3007	48,405	16	349	238	-	-	-	-	612
Ohio	135	6,011	8,363	6	97	63	-	-	-	-	30
Indiana	171	5,140	1,602	1	60	34	-	-	-	-	53
Illinois	124 655	10,953	2,194	2 7	64 94	62 51	-	-	-	-	253
Wisconsin	497	12,014 28,889	24,087 12,159		34	28	-	1	-	-	142 134
WEST NORTH CENTRAL	144	8,176	15,894	4	124	101	_			1	119
Minnesota	28	1,606	596	2	30	19	_		_	1	6
Iowa	86	5,000	8,837	_	16	5	-	-	_	_	102
Missouri	8	503	2,465	1	50	47		-	-	-	7
North Dakota	21	954	3,441	-	7	7	-	-	-	-	4
South Dakota	1	38	108	-	4	2	-	-	-	-	-
Nebraska Kansas	NN	7.5 NN	447 NN	1	8 9	10 11	-	_	_	-	-
SOUTH ATLANTIC	407	13,469	22,767	7	370						
Delaware	1	233	481		3/0	364		-	-	1	86
Maryland	57	1,979	957		34	36	1 -	_			14
Dist. of Columbia	2	369	55	-	9	5	-	-	-	_	-
Virginia	157	1,732	3,778	1	49	44	-	-	-	~	23
West Virginia	103	4,658	12,628	-	12	23	-	-	-	-	13
North Carolina	22	321	301	4	92	68	-	-	-	-	-
South Carolina Georgia	16 3	605 228	957 587	1	43 55	52 45	_		-	1	5
Florida	46	3,344	3,023	1	72	87	-	-	_	-	31
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL	372	18,291	12,833	3	193	145	_	_	_	1	95
Kentucky	51	4,509	2,288	-	74	62	-	-	-	_	16
Tennessee	242	11,313	7,337	-	61	45	-	-	-	-	76
Alabama	45	1,559	2,175	-	42	27	-	-	-	-	3
Mississippi	34	910	1,033	3	16	11	-	-	-	1	-
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL	831	21,827	29,110	4	321	274	-	-	-	3	2
Arkansas	204	954	1,074	-	23	13	-	-	-	~	-
Louisiana	11	85 450	85 169	3	122	153 17	-	-	-	-	-
Texas	612	20,338	27,782	1	159	91	-	-	-	1 2	2
MOUNTAIN	335	10,594	17,890	2	72	60		_	_		106
Montana	21	1,661	3,409	-	4	2	-	_	_	-	5
Idaho	47	1,279	2,447	-	5	7	-	-	-	-	3
Wyoming	18	129	820	1	4	4	-	-	-	-	-
Colorado	60	1,085	5,096	-	38	13	-	-	-	-	35
New Mexico Arizona	55 122	1,042 4,965	599 1,029	_	9 8	10 16	-	-	-	-	-
Utah	122	397	4,300	-	8 -	6	_	-	-	-	62
Nevada	-	36	190	1	4	2	-	-	-	-	-
PACIFIC	540	18,065	25,551	7	443	343	-	1	-	1	125
Washington	53	3,278	7,116	-	35	26	-	1	-	i	32
Oregon	54	1,264	2,981	-	29	27	-	-	-	-	36
California	431	13,259	12,044	7	361	271	-	-	-	-	51
Alaska	1	165	131		15	12	-	-	-	-	-
Hawaii	56	2,137	3,279 1,894	1	7	4	_	-			6
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# CASES OF SPECIFIED NOTIFIABLE DISEASES: UNITED STATES FOR WEEKS ENDED

JUNE 18, 1966 AND JUNE 19, 1965 (24th WEEK) - CONTINUED

AREA	STREPTOCOCCAL SORE THROAT & SCARLET FEVER	TETA	NUS	TULAR	REMIA	TYPHOID		TYPHUS FEVER TICK-BORNE (Rky. Mt. Spotted)		RABIES IN ANIMALS	
	1966	1966	Cum. 1966	1966	Cum. 1966	1966	Cum. 1966	1966	Cum. 1966	1966	Cum. 1966
UNITED STATES	6,777	7	65	4	64	6	133	14	56	93	2,082
NEW ENCLAND	1,161		2	_	1	_	3	_	_	3	41
Maine	87	_	_	_		_	_	_	_	1	13
New Hampshire	23			_	_	_	_	_			12
Vermont	25	_	_	_	_	-	_		_	1	1 15
Massachusetts	231		2	_	1	_	_	_		1	1
Rhode Island	23	_		_	1 1	_	_	_	_	-	
Connecticut	772	Ξ.		-	-	-	3	-	-	-	
HIDDLE ATLANTIC	178	1	9	_	_	_	27	5	10	6	13
New York City	19	-	3	_	-	-	14	_	-	_	
New York, Up-State.	131	-	1	-	_	-	4	2	5	6	13
New Jersey	NN	_	1	_	_	_	6	3	4	_	
Pennsylvania	28	1	4	-	-	-	3		1	-	
AST NORTH CENTRAL	827	2	6	_	12	_	22	1	4	12	29
Ohio	118	2	2	_	3	_	9	î	3	3	15
Indiana	129	-	1	_	3		1		-	5	6
Illinois	148		1		5		3		1	2	2
	239		2		,	_	3		-	-	2
Michigan Wisconsin	193	-	-	-	1	_	6	-	-	2	2
EST NORTH CENTRAL	261	_	5	_	4	_	13	_	1	22	45
Minnesota	7		1		4		15		1	8	10
Iowa	100		1			_	4			4	10
Missouri	17		3		1		5			3	15
North Dakota	120		-	_	-		1			1	1.5
North Dakota		-	_	_	-	_	1	_	_	-	
South Dakota	11	-	-	_		_	1 .	_	_	2	4
Nebraska Kansas	5	-		_	1 2	_	1 2	-	1	4	3
OUTH ATLANTIC	631	3	17	-	7	1	26	8	27	14	26
Delaware	15	-	-	-	-	-		_	-	-	
Maryland	154	-	-	-	-	-	6	3	8	-	
Dist. of Columbia	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Virginia	186	2	2	-	2	-	8	2	7	10	16
West Virginia	122	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	1	3
North Carolina	4	-	1	-	2	-	2	3	10	-	
South Carolina	11	-	1	-	1	1	5	-	1	-	
Ceorgia	1	-	6	-	1	-	1	-	1	1	3
Florida	136	1	7	-	-	-	3	-	-	2	3
AST SOUTH CENTRAL	1,019	-	3	2	15	3	13	-	6	10	27
Kentucky	38	-	1	-	2	-	2	-	-	4	4
Tennessee	850	-	-	2	9	-	5	-	6	5	21
Alabama	66	-	2	-	4	2	4	-	-	1	1
Mississippi	65	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	
EST SOUTH CENTRAL	640	-	14	-	20	-	12	-	5	23	44
Arkansas	2	-	2	-	15	-	1	-	1	1	4
Louisiana	40	-	3	-	2	-	4	-	-	-	2
Oklahoma	5	-	1	-	2	-	3	-	4	6	12
Texas	593	-	8	-	1	-	4	-	-	16	25
OUNTAIN	1,001	_	1	2	4	1	7	_	3	1	4
Montana	22	-		1	i	_	_	-	_		] '
Idaho	80	_	-	_	1 1	-	-		-	-	
Wyoming	18	_	-	_	_	_	-	_	_	_	
Colorado	619	_	1	_	_		2	_	3	1	
New Mexico	138		-		1		-				
Arizona	79			1	1		1				2
Utah	44	_		1	1	_	3	1	_		4
Nevada	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	
	1,059	1	8		,	,	10		_	2	12
PACIFIC	1,059	1	0		1	1	10		-	1	12
Washington		,		-	-	-	1		-	1 -	
Oregon	8	1	1	-	-	-	1	-			
California	848	-	7	-	1	1	6	-	-	1	12
Alaska	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Hawaii	133	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-

Week No.

### DEATHS IN 122 UNITED STATES CITIES FOR WEEK ENDED JUNE 18, 1966

24

(By place of occurrence and week of filing certificate. Excludes fetal deaths)

24			e and week	01 1111	ng certificate. Excludes	tetal death			
	All Ca	uses	Pneumonia	Under		All Ca	uses	Pneumonia	Under
Area	A11	65 years	and	1 year	Area	A11	65 years	and	1 year
	Ages	and over	Influenza	All		Ages	and over	Influenza	All Causes
			All Ages	Causes				All Ages	Causes
NEW ENGLAND:	626	384	29	36	SOUTH ATLANTIC:	1,094	534	38	58
Boston, Mass	181	101	4	15	Atlanta, Ga	124	54	4	4
Bridgeport, Conn	28	18	2	-	Baltimore, Md	228	109	4	13
Cambridge, Mass	22	11	-	1	Charlotte, N. C	31	17	2	2
Fall River, Mass	29	21	2	1	Jacksonville, Fla	84	35	2	5
Hartford, Conn	53	29	3	3	Miami, Fla	78	41	-	1
Lowell, Mass	30	22	4	3	Norfolk, Va	75	37	7	7
Lynn, Mass	19	14	-	-	Richmond, Va	93	47	1	3
New Bedford, Mass	31	24		2	Savannah, Ga	31	11	-	1
New Haven, Conn	43	19	1 2	2	St. Petersburg, Fla	73	56	5	2
Providence, R. I	64 14	37 11	1	4	Tampa, Fla	60 183	39 71	9 3	3 16
Somerville, Mass Springfield, Mass	38	28	7	2	Wilmington, Del	34	17	1	1 1
Waterbury, Conn	29	20	ĺí	2	withington, ber.	54	1,	1	1
Worcester, Mass	45	29	2	1	EAST SOUTH CENTRAL:	61.7	324	25	33
wordester, imas.				· [	Birmingham, Ala	94	40		2
MIDDLE ATLANTIC:	3,128	1,805	116	170	Chattanooga, Tenn	60	32	6	2
Albany, N. Y	42	23		4	Knoxville, Tenn	53	36	2	_
Allentown, Pa	32	22	-	-	Louisville, Ky	117	62	8	6
Buffalo, N. Y	1 34	80	6	10	Memphis, Tenn	111	59	1	11
Camden, N. J	29	15	1 :	4	Mobile, Ala	39	19	1	2
Elizabeth, N. J	24	16	-	1	Montgomery, Ala	43	22	2	6
Erie, Pa	44	27	4	1	Nashville, Tenn	100	54	5	4
Jersey City, N. J	58	24	4	6	LIBOR COLUMN CRUMPAT				
Newark, N. J	104	47	8	25	WEST SOUTH CENTRAL:	1,068	543	45	76
New York City, N. Y	1,567	889 21	62	71	Austin, Tex	50	27	10	8
Paterson, N. J	455	260	7	20	Baton Rouge, La	23 19	13	-	-
Philadelphia, Pa	202	121	2	10	Corpus Christi, Tex	140	4	-	2
Pittsburgh, Pa Reading, Pa	45	31	1	10	Dallas, TexEl Paso, Tex	35	66 21	6 2	14
Rochester, N. Y	99	63	4	5	Fort Worth Tey	58	30		3
Schenectady, N. Y	31	19	1	_ [	Fort Worth, Tex Houston, Tex	183	82	4	17
Scranton, Pa	38	26	4	_	Little Rock, Ark	73	28	1	4
Syracuse, N. Y	61	35	1	5	New Orleans, La	182	100	6	11
Trenton, N. J	57	37	4	2	Oklahoma City, Okla	63	28	1	3
Utica, N. Y	22	19	3		San Antonio, Tex	108	62	7	5
Yonkers, N. Y	44	30	3	3	San Antonio, Tex Shreveport, La	69	39	4	6
					Tulsa, Okla	65	43	4	-
EAST NORTH CENTRAL:	2,438	1,350	78	146				i	
Akron, Ohio	71	44	-	8	MOUNTAIN:	426	219	23	39
Canton, Ohio	28	17	1		Albuquerque, N. Mex	43	21	9	4
Chicago, Ill	687	383	25	43	Colorado Springs, Colo.	23	7	1	5
Cincinnati, Ohio	182	116	5	4	Denver, Colo	106	60	5	10
Cleveland, Ohio	216 121	129 55	3 -	9	Ogden, Utah	21 91	9 51	2 5	3
Columbus, Ohio Dayton, Ohio	63	33	_	2	Phoenix, Ariz Pueblo, Colo	29	15	,	3
Detroit, Mich	325	171	11	18	Salt Lake City, Utah	67	32	_	8
Evansville, Ind	40	22	2	10	Tucson, Ariz	46	24	1	3
Flint, Mich	36	18	ĺ	3	lucson, Alter	40		1 1	,
Port Wayne, Ind	50	23	5	5	PACIFIC:	1,626	939	40	86
Gary, Ind	39	17	4	5	Berkeley, Calif	21	12		-
Grand Rapids, Mich	54	34	4	2	Fresno, Calif	61	30	5	5
Indianapolis, Ind	147	78	4	14	Glendale, Calif	28	20	-	3
Madison, Wis	50	20	-	4	Honolulu, Hawaii	59	27	3	7
Milwaukee, Wis	113	68	5	7	Long Beach, Calif	56	37	-	3
Peoria, Ill	27	12	1	3	Los Angeles, Calif	550	318	12	32
Rockford, Ill	30	15	2	2	Oakland, Calif	76	49	4	2
South Bend, Ind	34	20	1		Pasadena, Calif	32	21	-	1
Toledo, Ohio	84	53	4	2	Portland, Oreg	151	82	1	10
Youngstown, Ohio	41	22	-	6	Sacramento, Calif	69	34	1	3
WEST NORTH CENTRAL:	803	494	22	1.7	San Diego, Calif	91	59	3	4
		39	22	47 4	San Francisco, Calif	210 35	111	4 5	7
Des Moines, Iowa Duluth, Minn	29	17	2	4	San Jose, Calif Seattle, Wash	116	22	1	3
Kansas City, Kans	29	12	1	5	Spokane Wash	46	69	1	6
Kansas City, Mo	132	82	2	6	Spokane, Wash Tacoma, Wash	25	18	i	
Lincoln, Nebr	25	17	2	2	2007004, 1103111	- 23	10	1	
Minneapolis, Minn	107	76	2	10	Total	11,826	6,592	416	691
Omaha, Nebr	71	43	3	3		11,023	0,572	410	0,71
St. Louis, Mo	240	138	9	12	Cu	mulative To	tals		
St. Paul, Minn	59	38	-	2	including report			revious we	eks
Wichita, Kans	51	32	1	3					
					All Causes, All Ages			311,	
					All Causes, Age 65 and	over		180,	
					Pneumonia and Influenza	. All Ages-		14,	,502
					All Causes, Under 1 Yea	r of Age		16,	139



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had initiated an anthrax immunization program in 1962, but this laboratory employee had received only a single inoculation of the anthrax antigen in September 1965. The most recent case prior to the current case was reported in December 1963 in an employee who had received no vaccine and developed a lesion on his left forefinger.

Previous studies have indicated that a single inoculation of the vaccine will not give protection against cutaneous anthrax lesions.

(Reported by Dr. N.J. Fiumara, Director, Division of Communicable Diseases, Massachusetts Department of Public Health: Dr. Heinrich G. Brugsch, Division of Occupational Hygiene, Department of Labor and Industries, the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.)

#### INTERNATIONAL NOTES VARIOLA MINOR - Britain

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late May and early June were confined to the Cheadle Rural District.

Of the 44 cases, 21 were in males and 23 in females; 27 cases occurred in persons under 20 years of age. Four of the 44 patients had been vaccinated prior to exposure; all of these were adults vaccinated at least 30 years previously. Ten patients were vaccinated after exposure and 30 persons had never been vaccinated (Table 1).

The source of the outbreak remains unidentified.

(Compiled from reports from the World Health Organization.)

VARIOLA MINOR IN BRITAIN Cases According to Age and History of Vaccination

	VACCINATION STATUS									
Age	Prior to 14 days Before Onset	Within 14 days After Exposure	Not Vaccinated	Total						
0-4	0	1	1	2						
5-9	0	3	3	6						
10-14	0	1	10	11						
15-19	0	2	7	9						
20-29	0	0	5	5						
30-39	1*	0	0	1						
40-49	1*	2†	2	5						
50-59	2*	1	1	4						
60+	0	0	1	1						
Total	4	10	30	44						

<sup>\*</sup>Vaccinated in early childhood.

One case vaccinated in early childhood and after exposure.

On June 9, a case of variola was reported to WHO from Monmouthshire, Wales, approximately 100 miles from the County of Staffordshire. It is not yet known whether this case is related to previous cases or represents a new introduction.

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